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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : SRIKANTH R. MUROOR

For : VOLTAGE CONTROLLED OSCILLATOR CAPABLE OF  
LINEAR OPERATION AT VERY LOW FREQUENCIES

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows: